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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 41.33(b)

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Sir:

This amendment follows the Appeal Brief filed by Applicants on January 5, 2006. The amendment cancels claims and rewrite dependent claims into independent claims, and is accordingly submitted under 37 CFR §41.33(b).

Please amend the application as follows.